

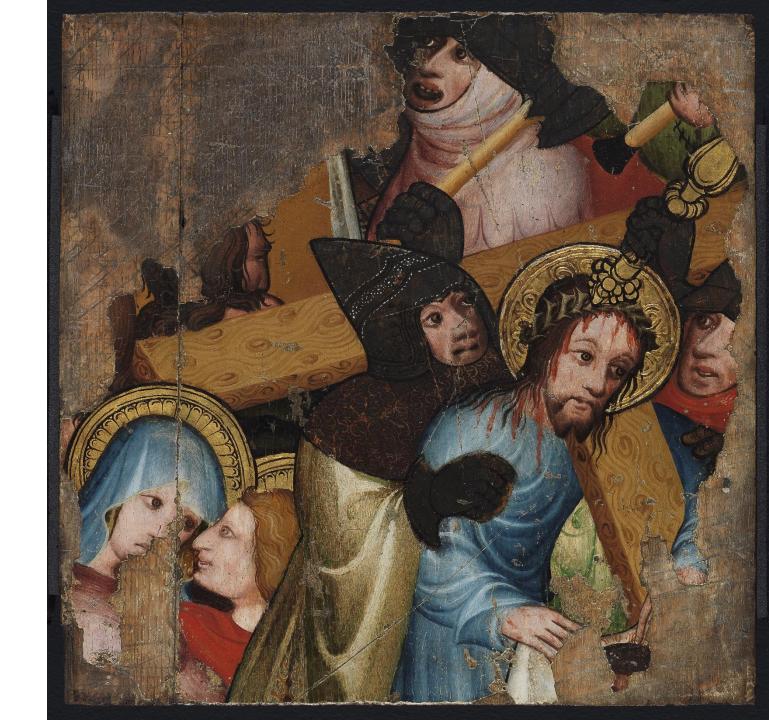


'Christ carrying the Cross'

Tempera on gesso on panel; Norwich? c.1400-1410

The Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge,

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'Christ before Herod' Tempera on gesso on panel; Norwich? c.1400-1410.

The top of Christ's head (bottom left, where the panel is broken off) suggests that an 'Ecce Homo' scene was below.

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St Veronica's Veil

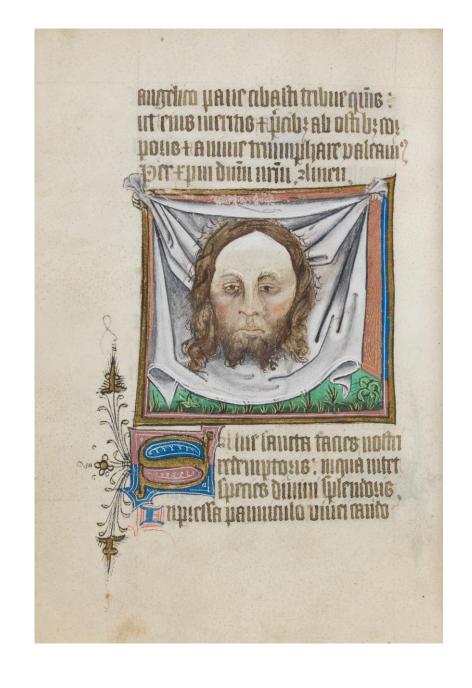
'He imprinted it with his blessed face, which is the fairness of heaven ...'

(Julian, Revelations, ch.10, Second Revelation).

The Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge,

Fitzwilliam MS 55, f.122v

Norfolk, c.1480.



St Veronica holding a dark-faced Vernicle

Panel from a roodscreen,
Church of St Mary, North Creake,
Norfolk (early 16th century).

'It was an emblem and likeness of our foul, black, mortal covering, which our fair, bright, blessed Lord God bore for our sins'.

(Julian, *Revelations*, ch.10, Second Revelation).



Michael de Massa, Writings on the Passion

Manuscript made for Sir Miles Stapilton at Ingham, Norfolk in 1405

Bodleian Library, Oxford, MS Bodley 758, f.1r.

'I saw, as I watched, the body bleeding profusely in weals from the scourging, like this ...'

(Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 12, Fourth Revelation)



'Entombment of Christ' St Peter Mancroft, Norwich c.1440-1460

'The fair skin was broken very deeply into the tender flesh, through sharp blows all over the precious body'

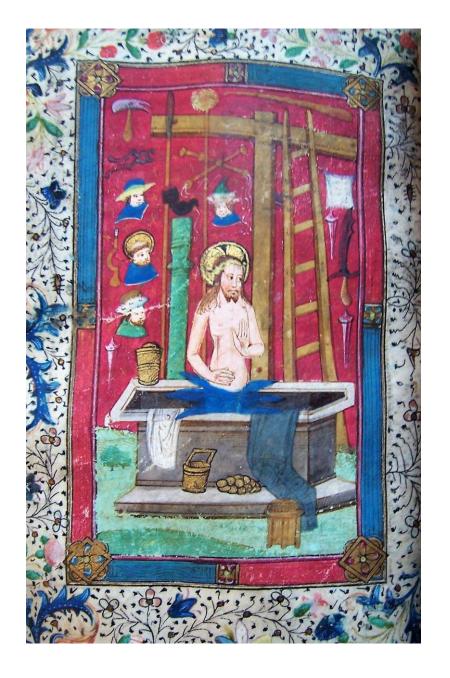
(Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 12, Fourth Revelation)



'Imago Pietatis' or 'Man of Sorrows'

Book of Hours,

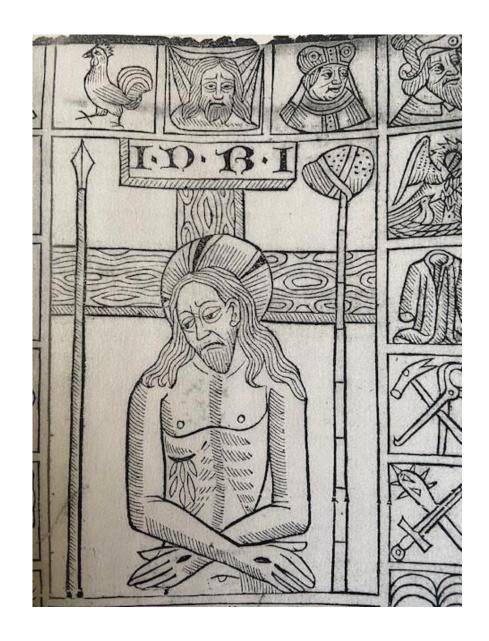
Emmanuel College, Cambridge MS 41



'Man of Sorrows' Woodcut (detail)

'Then with a glad expression our Lord looked into his side and gazed ... and with his dear gaze he led his creature's understanding through the same wound into his side within ...'

(Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 24, Tenth Revelation).

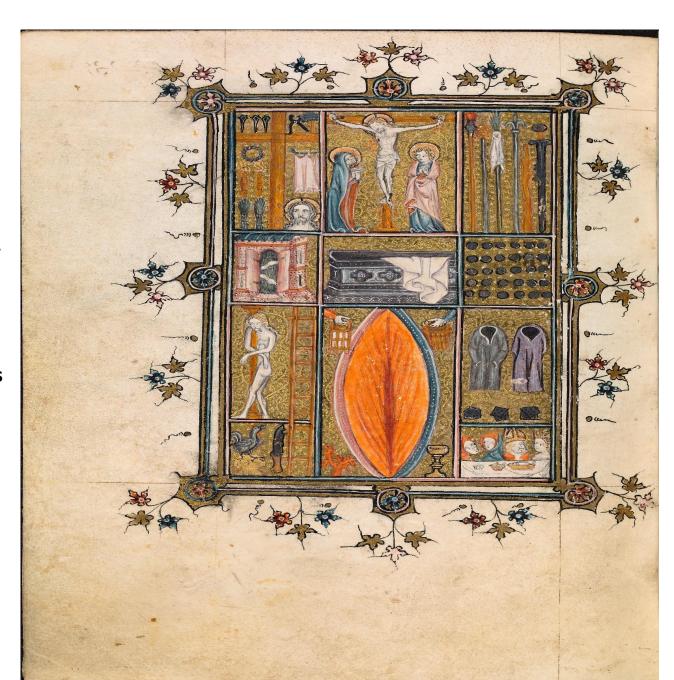


'Arma Christi', Instruments of the Passion

Bodleian MS Auct. D.4.4 fol. 236v

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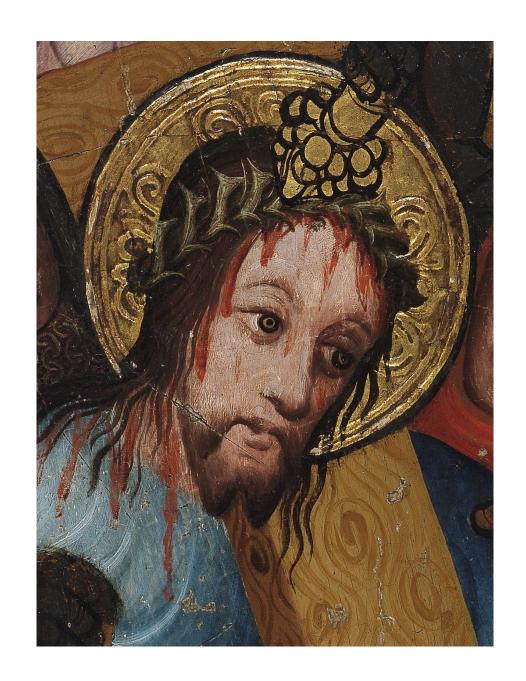


'Christ carrying the Cross'

(Fitzwilliam Panel, c.1400-1410)

'I suddenly saw the red blood tricking down from under the crown of thorns, hot and fresh, plentiful and lifelike ...'

(Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 4, First Revelation).



'The Throne of Grace'

The Ranworth Antiphoner, Norwich(?), c.1460-1480 St Helen's Church, Ranworth

'The Trinity suddenly filled my heart full of the utmost joy ... for where Jesus appears, the blessed Trinity is to be understood, as it seems to me'

(Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 4 First Revelation)



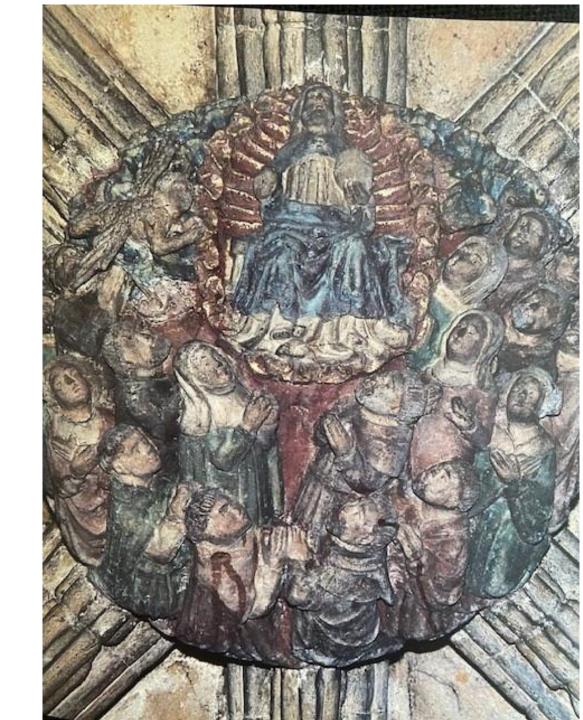
Norwich Cathedral Cloisters West Walk

Boss depicting Revelation 14: 6-7.

Christ is seated as though in judgement, holding an orb in his left hand. Figures below in attitudes of worship.

'He showed a little thing, the size of a hazelnut, lying in the palm of my hand, as it seemed to me, and it was as round as a ball. I looked at it with my mind's eye and thought, 'What can this be?' And the answer came in a general way, like this, 'It is all that is made'...

(Julian, Revelations, ch. 5, First Revelation).





'Crucifix-Trinity' Initial for All Saints; Ranworth Antiphoner, c.1460-1480

'He is our clothing that out of love enwraps us and enfolds us, embraces us and wholly encloses us, surrounding us for tender love ...'
(Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 5, First Revelation)

'Vierge ouvrante' (Opening Madonna)

Musee de Cluny, Paris

'For at the same time that God joined himself to our body in the Virgin's womb, he took on our sensory soul, and in taking it on, having enclosed us all in himself, he united the sensory soul to our substance'

(Julian, Revelations, ch. 57)

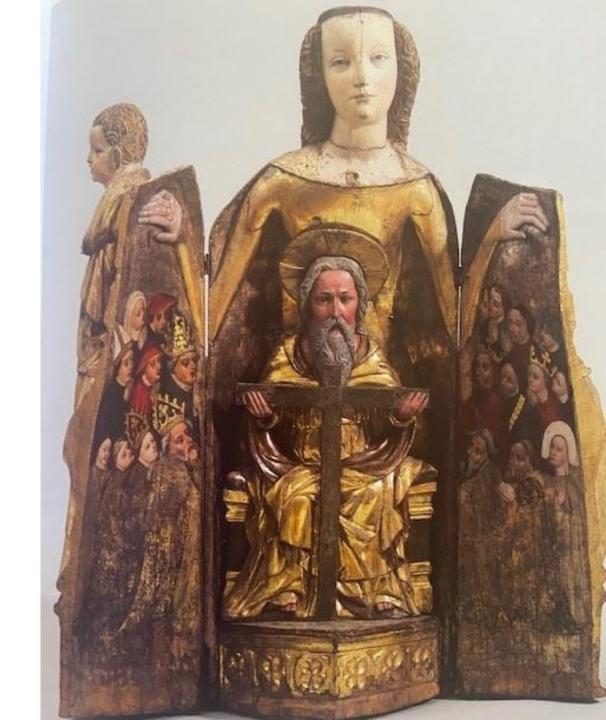


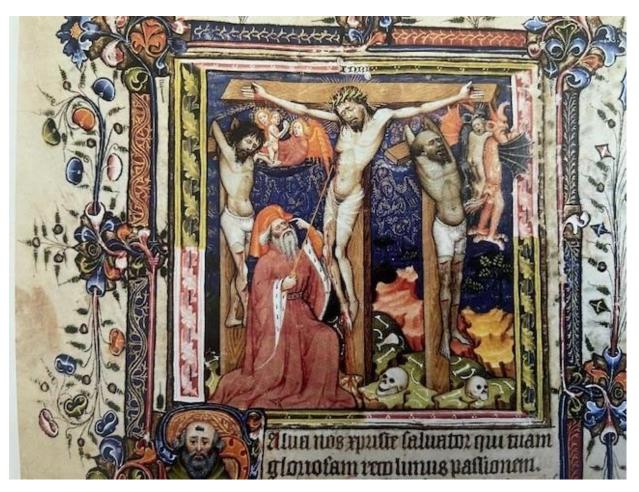
'Vierge ouvrante' c.1400

Germanisches Nationalmuseum, Nuremberg

'The noble city in which our Lord Jesus sits is our sensory being, in which he is enclosed; and our natural substance is enclosed in Jesus, with the blessed soul of Christ sitting at rest in the Godhead'

(Julian, Revelations, ch. 56)





Left: the good thief's soul departs in the form of a tiny pale child.

'Out of this body sprang a very beautiful creature, a little child perfectly shaped and formed, swift and full of life, whiter than a lily, which quickly glided up into heaven' (Julian, Revelations, ch. 64, 15th Revelation).

The Ormesby Psalter

Bodleian Library, MS Douce 366, f.147v Psalm 109, 'Dixit dominus ...'

Presented to Norwich Cathedral in the 1330s by Robert of Ormesby, subprior.

Inscribed: 'The Psalter of brother Robert of Ormesby, monk of Norwich, assigned by him to the choir of the church of the Holy Trinity of Norwich, to lie in the place of the subprior for all time'





Ormesby Psalter

'Now the Son sits ... at his Father's right hand. (But this does not mean that the Son sits on the Father's right hand, side by side, as one person sits by another in this life; for, as I see it, there is no such sitting in the Trinity)'. Julian, *Revelations*, ch. 51.